BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS COUNTY OF KITTITAS STATE OF WASHINGTON

RESOLUTION NO. 2017 - 091

TO AUTHORIZE PAYMENT RETURNING PREVIOUSLY REIMBURSED FUNDS TO THE COUNTY ROAD ADMINISTRATION BOARD FOR THE WESTSIDE ROAD PROJECT

- WHEREAS: Resolution No. 2014-158 required the County to return \$51,057.07 of design funds to the County Road Administration Board (CRAB) following turn back of a funded safety project on Westside Road; and
- WHEREAS: CRAB allowed the County to retain \$54,995.00 conditioned on the County pursuing this project at a later date utilizing the consultant design provided to the County for the expenditures reimbursed; and
- WHEREAS: Kittitas County received Rural Arterial Program Funding (RAP) from the CRAB for the Westside Road Safety Improvements Project Number 1915-02; and
- WHEREAS: Following review of the proposed project scope and the previously estimated \$1,140,000 to complete the work The Department of Public Works found the project not feasible without expending approximately \$2,500,000 of road fund reserves; and
- WHEREAS: The Department of Public Works and the Board of County Commissioners found it in the best interest of Kittitas County to no longer continue pursuing the completion of this project; and
- **WHEREAS:** Resolution 2017–028 was adopted requesting to turn back funds to CRAB in the amount of \$1,026,000; and
- WHEREAS: The Department of Public Works received a letter from CRAB requiring the County to return the remaining \$54,995.00 by June 26th, 2017 per WAC 136-167-030 (1) based on the previously agreed upon conditions not being met; and
- **NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED** that the Board of County Commissioners, in the best interest of the public, does hereby authorize payment in the amount of \$54,995.00 to the County Road Administration Board.

DATED on this 16th day of May, 2017, at Ellensburg, Washington.

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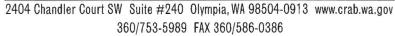
Attest:

Clerk of the Board- Julie Kjorsvik

Deputy Clerk of the Board- Mandy Buchholz

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County Road Administration Board





May 2, 2017

Lucas Huck, PE, Engineer. Kittitas County Public Works 411 North Ruby, Suite 1 Ellensburg, WA 98926-2887

Dear Luke,

The CRABoard, at its April 27, 2017 meeting, acknowledged the county's withdrawal of the RAP funded Westside Road Project, RAP # 1915-02. The previous granted waiver of payback of \$54,995 was therefore rescinded by the board since it was conditioned on the county pursuing this project.

The retained amount of \$54,995 must be reimbursed to the County Road Administration Board no later than June 26, 2017, per WAC 136-167-030 (1).

If you have any questions please feel free to call Randy Hart at 360-350-6081.

Jay Weber, Director

County Road Administration Board

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cc: Westside Road project file